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HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION.

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JAMES GREIG, Chief Manager.

Offices of the Corporation, No. 1, Queen's Road East, Hongkong, February 17, 1876.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

WE have authorized Mr HUGO LUBBERS to sign our Firm at Foochow per

procuration. SIEMSEN & Co.

Hongkong, May 15, 1876. jyl

NOTICE.

I have this day authorized Mr J. Y. V. Shaw to sign my name per procuration.

A. MACG. HEATON.

Hongkong, January 1, 1876.

NOTICE.

MR. THEOPHILUS GEORGE LINSTED is authorized to sign our Firm in Hongkong and Canton.

PURDON & Co.

China, June 1, 1876. jyl

NOTICE.

MR. H. MUNSTER SCHULTZ has been authorized to sign our Firm per procuration.

WIELER & Co.

Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

NOTICES OF FIRMS.

NOTICE.

WE have Established branches of our Firm at Hongkong and Shanghai. Mr E. CONSTANTIN is authorized to sign by

procuration in Hongkong. LANDSTEIN & Co.

Hongkong, December 31, 1875.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned have entered into Co-partnership from the First day of January, 1876, in the Business of Shipbrokers at this Port, under the style of MORRIS & RAY.

A. G. MORRIS.

E. C. RAY.

Bank Buildings, Hongkong, February 3, 1876.

NOTICE.

THE Undersigned has been appointed SURVEYOR to LLOYD'S REGISTER at this Port.

R. H. CAIRNS.

1, Club Chambers, Hongkong, April 20, 1876.

For Sale.

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Hongkong, March 10, 1876.

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Hongkong, May 30, 1876.

Intimations.

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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the Members of the above Society will be held at the City Hall, on TUESDAY AFTERNOON (June 6th), at Five o'clock, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Committee, a Statement of Accounts, and to elect Officers for the ensuing year.

Members and others taking an interest in the Society are invited to attend.

CHAS. O. COHEN.

Honorary Secretary and Treasurer, Hongkong, May 31, 1876. jyl

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Intimations.

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ESTABLISHED 1853.

TH. KOFFER, Proprietor.

Hongkong, April 23, 1876. ap28

HONGKONG.

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CHRONOMETERS,

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Carefully Repaired, Cleaned and accurately rated under guarantee.

All Repairs in the above line done at reasonable rates and with despatch.

Hongkong, May 1, 1876. tf.

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CHEAPEST DAILY PAPER IN CHINA

and as a large

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SHIPPING SUPPLIED WITH ALL KINDS OF COAL, WATER, BALLAST, FRESH PROVISIONS & OILMAN'S STORES

Of the best quality and at the shortest notice.

Hongkong, May 1, 1876.

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and to

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Also, a large assortment of Photographic Albums, Frames, Writing Cases, Desks and many other ornamental and useful articles too numerous to mention.

Hongkong, May 15, 1876.

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THE DOCKS being now completed, are capable of DOCKING any size VESSELS frequenting this Port, and executing any REPAIRS required.

A large quantity of SPARS, LUMBER, IRON, COPPER, YELLOW METAL, &c., &c., always kept in Stock at cheap rates.

Length of Dock, 455 Feet.

Breadth do., 82 "

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The following Rates will be charged until further notice:—

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For further particulars, apply to

W. B. SPRATT & Co.,

9, Praya East.

Hongkong, April 20, 1876.

FOOCHOW DOCK.

PAGODA ANCHORAGE.

THE above granite floored Dock is 400 feet long, 56 feet wide at entrance, and has 13 feet of water on the sill at average neap, and 17 feet at average spring tides. The Dock is fitted with caisson gates, and is pumped out by steam.

The Workshops comprise Foundry for iron and brass castings, Machine Shop, which contains screw-cutting and small lathes, Drilling and Screwing Machine, &c.; Blacksmith's and Carpenter's Shops.

A large Stock of Timber, Metals and other Dockyard materials necessary for the Repairs of Iron or Wooden Steam and Sailing Vessels, always on hand.

A Steam-tug is available at all times to tow vessels at reasonable rates.

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JOHN FORSTER & Co., Foochow.

or JAMES ANDERSON, Superintendent, Foochow, May 31, 1876. no20

Intimations.

NOTICE.

SAILMAKING DEPARTMENT.

DURING the Temporary Absence of our Mr W. DOLAN, this DEPARTMENT will be CARRIED ON as heretofore, under the Superintendence of Experienced FOREMAN, who have acted in this capacity under Mr Dolan for 13 years.

All Orders in this Branch of Business will have our careful attention.

MADEWEN, FRIKEL & Co.

Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

Shipping.

Steamers.

FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.

The Steamship "BOUGLAIN," Captain BUNNIE, will be despatched for the above Ports on 1st INSTANT, at Noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to DOUGLAS LARPAK & Co.

Hongkong, June 2, 1876. jyl

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

Per British Steamer "CITY OF EXETER," Captain JOHN GORBY, will leave for the above Ports, and will leave on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Inst., at 2 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to HOP KEE.

Hongkong, June 3, 1876. jyl

FOR SINGAPORE AND PENANG.

The Steamship "ABB-TSFORD," Capt. PATTERSON, will leave for the above Ports on WEDNESDAY, the 7th Inst., at 3 p.m.

For Freight or Passage, apply to JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents S. S. Abbotford.

Hongkong, June 3, 1876. jyl

FOR MANILA.

The Spanish Steamship "BUTUAN," will be despatched as above on THURSDAY, the 8th instant, at noon.

For Freight or Passage, apply to H. KIER.

Hongkong, June 2, 1876. jyl

CASTLE LINE OF STEAMERS.

FOR SHANGHAI.

The Steamer "GORDON CASTLE," expected here on or about the 22nd instant, will have immediate dispatch for the above Port.

For Freight or Passage, apply to ADAMSON, BELL & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, May 20, 1876.

FOR BANGKOK.

The German Steamship "FERONIA," SCHULTZ, Master, will have quick dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to Wm. POSTAU & Co., Agents S. S. Feronia.

Hongkong, June 2, 1876.

Sailing Vessels.

FOR SINGAPORE AND MAURITIUS.

The A 1 German Bark "WODAN," Captain MEYER, will have immediate dispatch as above.

For Freight or Passage, apply to MEYER & Co.

Hongkong, May

To-day's Advertisements.

FOR SHANGHAI.
The Steamship
"NINPO,"
R. Cass, Master, will be despatched
for the above Port TO-
MORROW, Tuesday, the 6th Instant, at
2 p.m.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
SIEMSEN & Co.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876. j60

FOR MANILA (DIRECT.)
The Spanish Steamer
"SALVADORA,"
Hormachea, Master, will leave
as above on WEDNESDAY
Next, the 7th Instant, at Noon.
For Freight or Passage, apply to
REMEDIOS & Co.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876. j67

STEAM TO YOKOHAMA.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S.
"MALACCA"
will leave for the above place
shortly after the arrival of
the Mongolia with the next English Mail.
A. Moliver, Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876.

STEAM TO SHANGHAI.
The P. & O. S. N. Co.'s S. S.
"MONGOLIA"
will leave for the above place
about 24 hours after her ar-
rival with the next English Mail.
A. Moliver, Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876.



STEAM FOR
Singapore, Penang, Point de Galle,
Aden, Suez, Malta, Brindisi,
Ancona, Venice, Mediter-
ranean Ports, Southampton
and London;
Also,
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THE PENINSULAR AND ORIENTAL STEAM
NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steamship
"THERAPY," Captain JOHNSON, with
Her Majesty's Mail, Passengers, Goods,
and Cargo, will leave this for the above
places, on SATURDAY, the 17th Instant,
at Noon.
Cargo will be received on board until
5 p.m.; FREIGHT and PARCELS at the
Office until 2 p.m. on the 16th Instant.
For particulars regarding Freight and
Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co.'s
Office, Hongkong.

CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES
AND REQUIRED.

Written declaration of the Contents and
Value of the Packages for the Overseas Route
required by the Egyptian Government, and
must be delivered by the Shippers to the Com-
pany's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or
with Parcels; and the Company do not hold
themselves responsible for any detention or
prejudice which may happen from incorrect-
ness in such declaration.
Shippers are particularly requested to note
the terms and conditions of the Company's
Bills of Lading.

THE P. & O. S. N. Co. reserve the
option of forwarding all Goods ship-
ped by their Steamers for Europe through
Egypt, either by Rail, or by Canal in their
own Steamers, or in vessels employed for
the purpose.

A. Moliver, Superintendent.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876. j67

THE GREAT NORTHERN TELE-
GRAPH COMPANY.

HEAD OFFICE,
Shanghai, 26th May, 1876.

FROM and after this Date, the Rate
for MESSAGES between this and
GUZLAF is reduced from 84 to 82 for
20 Words. Arrangements may be made
for reporting by wire any Signals hoisted
by Vessels passing.

GEORGE T. HELLAND,
General Agent.
June 5, 1876. j75

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

THE OFFICES OF THE PACIFIC MAIL
S. S. Co. have this day been RE-
MOVED to the Premises No. 16, Praya
Central, lately occupied by Messrs KOL-
LAT, Wise & Co.

G. B. EMORY,
Agent.
Hongkong, June 5, 1876.

Not Responsible for Delts.

Neither the Captain, the Agents, nor
Owners will be Responsible for any
Delt contracted by the Officers or Crew
of the following Vessels, during their stay
in Hongkong Harbour:—

INZIE, British barque, Captain John
Inkley.—Broadbear, Anthony & Co.

IPHIGENIA, German barque, Captain
Matzen.—Wm. Pustau & Co.

HORN, British barque, Captain Boulton.
—Gibb, Livingston & Co.

COMET, American ship, Captain William
M. Bray.

BELVEDERE, British ship, Captain J.
Branthwaite.

WODAN, German barque, Capt. Meyer.
—Wm. Pustau & Co.

VINDIC, British barque, Captain John
Parkhouse.

RUSKON, British barque, Capt. Tinsman.
—Arnhold, Karberg & Co.

ZOROA, British barque, Captain Geo.
Barlett.—Gilman & Co.

TALBOT, British ship, Captain James
Cliff.

WILLARD MULGERT, American barque,
Captain J. B. Dickey.—Jardine, Matheson
& Co.

ATONET, German brig, Captain P. Biss.
—Edmund Schellhass & Co.

EVELYN, British barque, Capt. Knowles.
—Matheson & Co.

BORNE, British barque, Captain Ross
Jones.

To-day's Advertisements.

COMPAGNIE DES MESSAGERIES
MARITIMES.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

CONSIGNEES of the following Cargo
are requested to send in their Bills of
Lading to the Undersigned for counter-
signature, and take immediate delivery.
This Cargo has been landed and stored at
their risk and expense.

No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE ORAMPEAUX,
Acting Agent.

Ex Hoogly, March 10, 1876.

R.M. No. 20, One case Merchandise,
T & L.

Ex Amoy, May 2, 1876.

C.F.P. 106 bags Gum, from Bombay.

Ex Amoy, May 14, 1876.

P.G.O. 4 cases Wine.

C.E.P. 4 boxes Merchandise.

O.J.L. 3 bags Gum.

No marks.

2 " Raisins.

Hongkong, June 5, 1876.

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.

June 5, Cheong Hock Kian, British str.,
1000, Webb, Singapore May 28, General.

June 3, Benteli, British steamer, 999,
Buchanan, Saigon May 30, General.—JAN-
DINE, MATHEWSON & Co.

June 4, 5 a.m., Pardo, British steamer,
763, Power, Saigon May 28, Rice.—LAND-
STEIN & Co.

June 4, Ningpo, from Canton.

June 4, 4 a.m., Duna, British steamer,
886, Thomson, Saigon May 28, Rice.—
GILMAN & Co.

June 4, Hongkong, Siamese ship, 636, H.
Freudenberg, Bangkok May 28, Rice.—
Mow Wah.

June 4, Chinkiang, British steamer, 690,
Hogg, Shanghai May 31, General.—SIEM-
SEN & Co.

June 4, Martha Brodbeckmann, German
barque, 468, F. Kluth, Cardiff January 6,
Coals.—SIEMSEN & Co.

June 4, Rubicon, British 3-m. sch., 204,
Timmsen, Whampoa June 2, General.—
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

June 4, Fritsch, German barque, 441,
F. Gritz, Bangkok May 10, Rice.—EDWARD
SCHELLHASS & Co.

June 5, Glauco, British steamer, 1,644,
T. S. Jackson, Shanghai May 31, Tea.—
BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE.

June 5, Zohing Tsing, Chinese R. C.,
180, Bessard, from Cruis.

June 5, Peng-chai-hai, Chinese R. C.,
600, Palmer, from Cruis.

June 5, Calcutta, British barque, 482,
Walter Peterson, Bangkok May 20, Rice.—
ORDER.

June 5, Memento, British barque, 464,
Rowald, Bangkok May 22, Rice.—
ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.

June 5, Siamese Crown, Siamese ship,
640, Saxenoph, Bangkok May 22, General.—
ORDER.

June 5, Sophia, British barque, 477, R.
Jones, Cardiff Jan. 25, Coals.—ORDER.

June 5, Neeruch, American ship, 1287,
Pierce, Cardiff Feb. 5, Coals.—MESSA-
GERIES MARITIMES.

June 5, Onward, British barque, 564,
Simson, Liverpool Jan. 20, Coals.—
ROZARIO & Co.

DEPARTURES.

June 3, Sunda, for Yokohama.

4, Thibet, for Shanghai.

4, Danube, for Bangkok.

4, Chateaubriand, for Keelung.

4, Vespa, for Whampoa.

4, Joachim Christian, for Newchwang.

6, Norma, for Swatow.

6, Hertha, Ger. covr., for Canton.

6, Ariadne, Ger. covr., for Canton.

6, Cyclops, Ger. g.-b., for Canton.

6, Peng-chai-hai, for Cruis.

6, Thermopylae, for Foochow.

6, Chinkiang, for Canton.

6, Tching Tsing, for a Cruise.

6, Luoro, for Bangkok.

PASSENGERS.

ARRIVED.

Per Rajmahal, from Bangkok, 42
Chinese.

Per Cheong Hock Kian, from Singapore,
400 Chinese.

Per Benteli, from Saigon, 5 Chinese.

Per Pardo, from Saigon, 6 Chinese.

Per Duna, from Saigon, 3 Chinese.

Per Hongkong, (Siamese ship) from Ban-
gkok, 20 Chinese.

Per Chinkiang, from Shanghai, 2 Euro-
peans, and 28 Chinese deck.

Per Glauco, from Shanghai, 20 Chinese.

Per Memento, from Bangkok, 2 Chinese.

Per Siamese Crown, from Bangkok, 8
Chinese.

DEPARTED.

Per Sunda, for Yokohama, Messrs R.
Hosking, W. Pitts, G. Haines, R. Jack-
son, and McCarthy.

Per Thibet, for Shanghai, Messrs J. A.
Jordan, F. S. A. Bourne, F. R. Brady, A.
Hosking, and 3 Priests.

Per Danube, for Bangkok, 101 Chinese.

Per Norma, for Swatow, 151 Chinese.

Per Thermopylae, for Foochow, Berd.
John Paul.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British barque Zoho reports: On
the 28th May, signalled the North German
barque lying M. C. P. V. from Cardiff for
Hongkong, in Lat. 19.55 N. Long. 118.07
E. Strong N.E. winds since 28th May until
to day.

The British steamer Cheong Hock Kian
reports: Unsettled weather during the
passage.

The British steamer Benteli reports:
Light southerly winds throughout and fine
weather.

The British steamer Pardo reports:
Heavy N.W. Sea out of Gulf of Hainan,
otherwise moderate weather. Passed S. S.
Maharajah and Thingvalla bound South on
Friday, 2nd inst.

The British steamer Glauco reports:
From Shanghai thick weather throughout,
detained several times through thick weath-
er, from Cupoli Point moderate S.W.
winds.

The British barque Calcutta reports:
Light southerly winds and fine weather
throughout. Passed a brig bound South
with maitopallant mast gone.

The British barque Memento reports:
Light S. and S.W. winds and fine weather
throughout.

The Siamese ship Siamese Crown reports:
Light southerly winds and fine weather
throughout the passage. On the 28th and
29th, heavy thunder and lightning.

SHIPPING REPORTS.

The British barque Zoho reports:
Generally fine weather throughout the
passage. Up the China Sea light variable
winds and fine weather.

The British steamer Duna reports: From
leaving to 15° N. Lat. had light S. W.
winds with fair weather. Then experienced
a violent cyclone, beginning at midnight of
the 30th at W. S. W. and working round
to N. W. at Noon of 31st, blowing with
great fury and accompanied with very high
sea from N.E., then backing round by
South to the Eastward, when it moderated
at noon of 1st inst. lasting 36 hours;
throughout the gale had a very high cross
sea, lost one boat and had all movable
fixtures on deck smashed to pieces, lowest
reading of Barometer 29.34, thence to port
had moderate and light S. E. winds with
fair weather.

The British steamer Chinkiang reports:
Left Shanghai at 4 a.m. 31st May. Had
moderate variable winds and thick weather
throughout. Detained in the river 24
hours through foggy weather. Passed the
M. M. steamer at 7 p.m. the 2nd inst. off
White Dogs. At 4 p.m. on the 3rd inst.,
passed str. Statenland, and at 5 p.m. on the
4th, off Rees Island. At 7 p.m. on the
4th, the str. Vangste off Cupoli Point.
At noon, on the 4th, the str. Malacca off
Red Islands.

The German barque Fritsch reports: In
the Gulf of Siam had moderate S. W.
winds and fine weather. Passed Pulo Obi
on the 20th, thence had light S.W. and
W.S.W. winds, and fine weather, until the
24th and 25th, when had moderate to fresh
breeze. On the 26th, had very unsettled
weather and variable winds, with heavy
thunder, storms and confused sea. On the
forenoon of the 27th, it fell calm; on the
afternoon of same day, had fresh breeze
accompanied with heavy squalls from the
Eastward, and heavy sea, hove to for 12
hours on the afternoon of the 31st, in Lat.
19.30 N. and Long. 112.30 E., then had
moderate to light Northerly and Easterly
winds, till yesterday when it hauled to
Southward, arrived in Hongkong at 9 p.m.
on the 4th inst.

The American ship Neeruch reports:
Fine weather to the equator which was
reached in 20 days, thence to the Cape 82
days, and the Cape in lat. 49 48 S., and
experienced moderate westerly winds; passed
Anjer on 15th May and had light variable
winds up the China Sea. Spoke the
British ship Northampton on the 23rd
ultimo, in lat. 2.8 N. and 108.40 E., 16
days from Manila and bound for New
York.

The Brit. barque Onward reports: Pilot
left us on the 21st Jan., we then had a
fine breeze from the N.E., which lasted 24
hours. Then had a succession of gales
from the southward. On the 10th Feb.,
experienced a very heavy gale which lasted
6 hours, lowest reading of Bar. 28. On the
11th Feb., passed Madeira and had light
N.E. trade winds, which carried us to 4 N.
and in Lat. 3 S., got the S.E. trade winds
which left us in Lat. 27 S. Passed close
to Tristan de Cunha on the 18th March,
and from thence had light winds principally
from the Southward and Eastward, until
passing St. Pauls, when we got moderate
N.W. winds. Reached Anjer on the 18th
May, and left on the 18th, had a very
pleasant passage of 17 days up the China
Sea, and arrived at Hongkong at 3 a.m.
to-day.

The British steamer Rajmahal reports:
Left Bangkok at 5 p.m., fresh N.
S.W. winds with heavy cross sea to Pulo
Obi. Thence to Cape Padaran fresh S.
S.W. winds with heavy squalls accompanied
with rain. Thence till May 31st, lat. 15.15
N., Long. 109.42 E. at 4 p.m. Bar. fell
14-10th and meeting a heavy sea from the
N.W., N. N.E., aloft down at 4 p.m.,
Bar. still falling and sea getting heavier,
put ship's head to the South and went
3 speed until 10 p.m. When the Bar. having
risen and less sea, put ship's head to the
North, 2 a.m. June 1st, the Bar. falling
again and sea heavier put ship's head South
until 6 a.m. When the wind shifted to the
S.E., Bar. rising and weather improving,
put ship's head to the North, and went full
speed. At noon had E.S.E. wind with a very
heavy swell setting from West. June 2nd,
passed the str. Maharajah and Thingvalla
going South. May 31st, passed the steamer
Pernambuco going South, and str. Thales
going North.

POST OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS.

MAILS will close:—

For SVATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW.—
For DOUGLAS, at 11.30 a.m. To-mor-
row, 6th Inst.

For SHANGHAI.—
For NINGPO, at 1.30 p.m. To-morrow,
6th Inst.

For AMOY.—
For CHEUNG HOCK KIAN, at 3.30
p.m. To-morrow, 6th Inst.

For MANILA.—
For SALVADORA, at 11.30 a.m. on
Wednesday, the 7th Inst.

For BUTUAN, at 11.30 a.m. on Thurs-
day, the 8th Inst.

For SINGAPORE and PENANG.—
For CITY OF EXETER, at 1.30 p.m.
on Thursday, the 8th Inst.

For HAINAN (via CANTON).—
Per H. L. M. S. SHEN CHI, at 7.30 a.m.,
on Wednesday, the 14th June, in-
stead of as previously notified.

MAILS BY THE FRENCH PACKET.

The French Packet Packet AMAZON
will be despatched on SATURDAY,
the 10th June, with Mails to and
through the United Kingdom and
Europe, via Mauritius, to Saigon,
Singapore, Batavia, Cebu, Australia,
New Zealand, Tasmania, Fiji, Aden,
Seychelles, Réunion, Mauritius,
Suez, and Alexandria.

ALFRED LISTER,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, May 27, 1876. j60

MAILS BY THE UNITED STATES PACKET.

The United States Mail Packet ALASKA
will be despatched on THURSDAY,
the 10th June, with Mails for
Japan, San Francisco, and the
United States, which will be closed as
follows:—
2 p.m. Registry of Letters closes.
2.30 p.m. Post-Office closes.
2.30 p.m. Correspondence may be posted
on Board the Packet with Late
Fee of 12 cents extra Postage
until
2.50 p.m. when the Mail is finally closed.

ALFRED LISTER,
Postmaster General.

General Post Office,
Hongkong, June 5, 1876. j61

MEMOS. FOR TO-MORROW.

Shipping.

Noon.—Douglas leaves for Swatow,
Amoy and Foochow.

2 p.m.—Ningpo leaves for Shanghai.

Goods per Anadyr undelivered after
Noon, subject to rent and landing
charges.

Meeting.

5 p.m.—Meeting of the Hongkong
Humanity Society at City Hall.

TO ADVERTISERS.

The attention of Advertisers is respect-
fully drawn to the fact that a copy of the
China Mail has for some time past been
placed on board of every Steamer and Sail-
ing Vessel on arrival in this Harbour.
Facilities which have recently been placed
within the reach of Captains and Officers of
Ships have resulted in a material increase
to the Subscription List of the Mail;
amongst the shipping in port; and as
special arrangements have been made to in-
crease the usefulness of the Shipping List
and to extend the circulation in the Bay,
these advantages will be at once apparent
to Advertisers.

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Hongkong, June 1, 1876.

The publication of this issue commenced
at 7.40 p.m.

BIRTH.

On the 3rd, the Wife of A. Lister, Esq.,
of a Daughter.

THE CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, JUNE 5, 1876.

We extract a few interesting items from
a table of the exports of merchandise
from the port of Bangkok during the
month of April last, as furnished by the
Commissioner of Customs, and published
in the Siam Advertiser. It seems that
the total value of the exports to Hong-
kong from Bangkok during the period
was \$348,092. Of this sum no less
than \$308,418 was for rice; \$9,200 for
rose-wood, a similar sum for teak-planks;
\$5,340 for sappan-wood; \$3,510 for pep-
per, and \$2,640 for cardamoms. The
total value of the exports from Bangkok
was \$617,897, so that it appears more
than half the trade of the port was with
Hongkong. The exports to China which
reached a value of \$9,383, of which
\$5,767 was on account of rice. The
value of the exports to Singapore was
\$190,266; to Europe and America,
\$19,054; to Java, \$50,119; and to the
Coast, \$2,993.

In a recent article we compared the po-
sition of Russia with reference to trade
in the interior of China with that of
other foreign nations, and claimed that
the so-called permissive rights accorded
to the former should be claimed in our
favour

SUPPLEMENT
TO THE
CHINA MAIL.

HONGKONG, MONDAY, 5TH JUNE, 1876.

Merchant Vessels in Hongkong Harbour.

Exclusive of late Arrivals and Departures reported to-day.

To facilitate finding the position of any vessel in the Harbour, the Anchorage is divided into eight Sections, commencing at Green Island. Vessels near the Hongkong shore are marked *h.*, near the Kowloon shore *k.*, and those in the body of the Shipping or midway between each shore are marked *c.*, in conjunction with the figures denoting the sections.

Section.

1. From Green Island to the Gas Works.
2. From Gas Works to the Novelty Iron Works.
3. From Novelty Iron Works to the Harbour Master's Office.
4. From Harbour Master's to the P. and O. Co.'s Office.

Section.

5. From P. and O. Co.'s Office to Peddar's Wharf.
6. From Peddar's Wharf to the Naval Yard.
7. From Naval Yard to the Pier.
8. From Pier to East Point.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Captain.	Flag and Reg.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Remarks.
Steamers								
Abbotsford	3 c	Patterson	Brit. str.	649	May 30	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	S'apora and Penang	7th, 8 p.m.
Alaska	4 k	Dearborn	Amer. str.	4011	June 1	P. M. S. S. Co.	Y'hama & S. F. Co.	Malls, 15th
Altona	4 c	Müller	Ger. str.	1179	May 30	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Argyll	5 c	Scott	Brit. str.	1271	June 1	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Benedict	4 h	Buchanan	Brit. str.	999	June 1	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Batuan	...	Frémoya	Span. str.	257	May 30	H. Kier	Manila	K'loong Dock
Cassandra	4 c	Langer	Ger. str.	947	May 30	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Cheong Hook Kian	...	Webb	Brit. str.	1000	June 1	Seon Cheong & Co.		
Cheops	3 h	Dryden	Brit. str.	983	May 18	Adamson, Bell & Co.	S'apora and Penang	
Chinkiang	5 c	Hogg	Brit. str.	890	June 1	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	
Columbian	5 k	Alderton	Brit. str.	1417	May 17	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Cyprenes	5 c	Wood	Brit. str.	1280	May 23	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Coast Ports	
Douglas	5 h	Burnie	Brit. str.	864	June 2	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Duna	...	Thomson	Brit. str.	859	June 4	Gilman & Co.		
City of Exeter	3 h	Gorley	Brit. str.	787	June 2	Hop Kee	S'apora and Penang	
Peronia	4 h	Schultz	Ger. str.	1085	June 1	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Fuyew	4 c	Croad	Chi. str.	920	June 4	C. M. S. N. Co.	Shanghai	To-day
Glamis Castle	4 c	Dickie	Brit. str.	1539	May 13	Adamson, Bell & Co.		
Glaucus	5 c	Jackson	Brit. str.	1644	June 5	Butterfield & Swire	S'apora and London	To-day
Hindustan	5 c	Gardner	Brit. str.	991	June 3	David Sassoon, Sons & Co.		
Malacca	5 c	Shellard	Brit. str.	1050	May 31	P. & O. S. N. Co.		
Mecca	4 h	Johnson	Brit. str.	687	May 29	Hop Kee		
Mikado	3 k	Moore	Brit. str.	2080	May 26	Gilman & Co.		
Ningpo	5 c	Rayner	Brit. str.	761	June 5	Siemssen & Co.	Shanghai	
Pardo	...	Power	Brit. str.	783	June 4	Landstein & Co.		
Pasig	...	Lopez	Span. str.	197	May 17	Sanedios & Co.		
Pawuxet	4 k	...	Amer. str.	280	June 18	Ang. Heard & Co.		Laid up
Queensland	3 h	Craig	Brit. str.	1437	June 2	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	Australian Ports	
Rajawattianuhar	3 h	Hopkins	Brit. str.	933	June 3	Yuen Fat Hong		
Riga	...	Clarke	Brit. str.	921	May 27	Order		Ab'deen Dock
Salvadora	3 c	Hormaecher	Span. str.	615	May 31	Remedios & Co.	Manila	
Suez	5 k	Scarlet	Brit. str.	1390	June 3	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		
Thales	5 h	Coles	Brit. str.	820	June 3	Douglas Lapraik & Co.		
Vasco de Gama	7 k	Rice	Brit. str.	2000	April 29	Jardine, Matheson & Co.		Repairing
Yothung	2 h	...	Brit. str.	324	June 9	Kwok Acheong		
Sailing Vessels								
American Lloyds	4 k	Park	Amer. bge.	510	May 21	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	
Anna	4 k	Jessen	Ger. bge.	448	May 9	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Anna Dorothea	8 k	Schmitt	Ger. bge.	330	June 3	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Annie Fish	3 c	Hiffes	Amer. sh.	1496	April 23	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
August	4 k	Rile	Ger. bg.	274	May 25	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Balfed Will	3 c	Branthwaite	Brit. sh.	812	May 5	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Manila	
Bia-Pan	2 c	Müller	Siam. sh.	575	May 19	Kin-tye-long		
British Crown	7 h	Andrew	Brit. bge.	448	April 27	Meyer & Co.	London	
Caldow	3 c	Walter	Brit. bge.	482	June 5	Chinese		
Caroline	...	Turnbull	Brit. sh.	957	May 15	Borneo Company	Cebu	Cos'tan Dock
Charles Maureau	4 k	Quatrous	Fch. bge.	368	May 24	Landstein & Co.	Newchwang	
Chas. C. Leary	3 c	Stephen	Amer. bge.	644	April 24	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	New York	
Cheng Soon	2 h	Cheng Sang	Siam. sch.	200	April 30	Chinese		
Christina A. P.	3 c	Federico	Amer. sch.	175	Jan. 8	Order		
Comet	4 c	Bray	Amer. sh.	1167	April 23	Russell & Co.	San Francisco	
Commissary	3 h	Hunter	Brit. sh.	900	April 23	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	
Crested Wave	1 c	Ranolf	Brit. bge.	345	May 26	Douglas Lapraik & Co.	Foochow	
Daylight	3 h	Relemaker	Siam. bge.	447	May 17	Kin-tye-long		
Deutschland	3 c	Tilman	Ger. bge.	269	May 18	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Haiphong	
Dora	1 c	Lazarrengo	Span. bg.	322	May 13	H. Kier		Repairing
Echo	5 c	Tozer	Brit. bge.	369	June 8	Gilman & Co.		
Emma	3 c	Gran	Ger. bge.	340	May 21	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Evelyn	8 c	Knowles	Brit. bge.	762	May 31	Melchers & Co.		
F. H. Drews	2 c	Vosatz	Ger. bge.	623	June 1	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Faan	...	Sandberg	Norw. bge.	290	May 28	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	Manila	
Felsch	4 k	Grieff	Ger. bge.	441	June 4	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Hongkong	2 h	Freundenberg	Siam. sh.	636	June 4	Mow Wah		
Hope	4 c	Boulton	Brit. bge.	454	April 29	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	London	
Humboldt	4 k	Stoll	Ger. bge.	330	June 2	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Iphigenia	4 c	Matzen	Ger. bge.	464	April 24	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Callao	
J. H. Jessen	4 c	Rasmussen	Ger. bge.	275	May 23	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	London	
Joanna y Anna	4 c	Man	Amer. sch.	40	May 27	C. P. Holcomb		
John Milton	7 c	Murphy	Brit. sh.	618	May 22	Russell & Co.	Manila	
Kate Tatham	...	Mackenzie	Brit. bge.	275	May 12	Carlowitz & Co.		Cos'tan Dock
Kronprindsessen	3 c	Hamin	Dan. bge.	344	May 28	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		
Lizzie	3 k	Lockay	Brit. bge.	385	June 3	Broadbear, Anthony & Co.	Tientsin	
Lord Macaulay	7 c	Monkman	Brit. bge.	879	May 28	Captain		
Lucas	2 c	Colberg	Siam. bge.	432	May 16	Tack Mee & Co.		
Lycka Till	2 h	Kines	Ital. sh.	1013	May 18	Thos. Howard & Co.	San Francisco	
Mario Alfred	5 c	Leclerc	Fch. bge.	309	May 30	Landstein & Co.		
Marquis of Argyll	2 k	McKeon	Brit. bge.	500	April 10	Rozario & Co.	Melbourne & Sydney	
Martha Brokelmann	3 c	Kinch	Ger. bge.	486	June 1	Siemssen & Co.		
May	7 h	Flumley	Brit. 3m.se.	237	May 10	Olyphant & Co.		
Mina	5 c	Thuren	Ger. bge.	456	May 11	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Mount Lebanon	1 h	Hall	Brit. 3m.se.	580	April 28	Rozario & Co.	Tientsin	
Nautilus	...	Blockey	Brit. bge.	242	May 27	Edvard Schellhaas & Co.		Cos'tan Dock
Northern Chief	4 k	Brown	Brit. bge.	392	May 31	Melchers & Co.		
Oceanus	6 c	Rockwoldt	Ger. 3m.se.	335	May 19	Siemssen & Co.		
Otter Caps	8 c	Morday	Brit. bge.	582	May 18	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	London	
Papa	4 h	Fasch	Ger. bge.	750	May 11	Siemssen & Co.		
Paradies	4 c	Thurö	Ger. bge.	546	May 29	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Pelmo	4 c	Christiansen	Ger. bge.	250	May 29	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Rebecca	3 c	Bundgaard	Ger. bge.	408	May 23	Wm. Pustau & Co.		
Rota	7 c	Hansen	Dan. sh.	862	May 8	Jardine, Matheson & Co.	Chefoo	
Rubicon	3 k	Hinsan	Brit. 3m.se.	304	June 4	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.	Manila	Cos'tan Dock
San Lorenzo	...	Pico	Span. bg.	220	May 14	Remedios & Co.		
Scotland	4 c	Holcomb	Amer. sch.	78	May 27	Captain		
Swallow	2 c	Hoves	Amer. sh.	1239	April 23	Order	San Francisco	
Taunton	3 c	Clark	Brit. sh.	638	May 18	Siemssen & Co.	Touron	
Thermopylae	8 h	Matheson	Brit. sh.	948	May 11	Adamson, Bell & Co.	Foochow	about 31st
Titan	6 c	Berry	Amer. sh.	1228	May 19	Masseries Maritimes		
Victory	...	Whiting	Brit. bg.	255	May 23	Yuen Fat Hong		Cos'tan Dock
Vindex	1 h	Parkhouse	Brit. bge.	290	May 3	Russell & Co.	Melbourne & Sydney	Repairing
Wealthy Pendleton	1 c	Blanchard	Amer. bge.	809	Mar. 30	Vogel, Hagedorn & Co.	San Francisco	10th prox.
Willard Mudgett	3 c	Diokey	Amer. bge.	875	May 15	Wing Wo Yuen	Honolulu	
Wilho	1 h	Badenoch	Brit. 3m.se.	274	May 20	Arnhold, Karberg & Co.		
Wodan	3 k	Meyer	Ger. bge.	459	May 7	Meyer & Co.	S'pore & Mauritius	
Zoroya	...	Scarlett	Brit. bge.	388	May 13	Gilman & Co.		Cos'tan Dock
WHAMPOA								
Cap Horn	Green	Green	Ger. bge.	401	May 23	Wm. Pustau & Co.	Tientsin	
Charité	Hervé	Hervé	Fch. bge.	255	May 25	Carlowitz & Co.	Tientsin	
Vesta	Dirks	Dirks	Ger. bge.	302	June 5	Melchers & Co.	Tientsin	

Men-of-war in Hongkong Harbour.

Vessel's Name.	Anchor- age.	Flag.	Class.	Tons.	Guns.	H. P.	Date of Arrival.	Commander.
Flamer	7 h	British	aux. naval hospital	.....	...	.....	.....	D. M. Insp. Gen. Morgan
Fly	6 h	British	gun vessel	464	4	120	June 2	John Bruce
Hornet	6 h	British	gun vessel	461	4	120	May 16	Hippisley
Kearsarge	6 c	American	corvette	638	6	500	April 20	F. V. McNair
Kestrel	6 c	British	gun vessel	462	4	100	June 1	O. B. Theobald
Meaneoe	6 k	British	military hospital	2591	.....	.....	.....	Capt. Becker
Modeste	6 c	British	corvette	1405	14	350	June 1	Alex. Buller
Tehing Teing	1 h	Chinese	gunboat	180	.....	.....	June 5	Bessard
Thistle	6 k	British	gun vessel	464	4	120	May 15	Francis Stirling
Victor Emmanuel	6 k	British	Commodore's flag ship	3037	2	.....	.....	Commodore Watson
Vineta	6 c	German	corvette	1800	19	400	May 31	Count Monte
Yantic	6 h	American	gunboat	410	3	238	May 19	R. S. McCook
At Canton								
Ariadne	...	German	corvette	1330	6	400	June 5	Kühne
Cyclop	...	German	gunboat	360	6	80	June 5	Von Reiche
Hertha	...	German	corvette	2200	19	400	June 5	Knorr
Palos	...	American	gunboat	306	April 18	W. R. Bridgeman

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 G. B. EMORY, Agent.
 Hongkong, May 28, 1876. j615

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 Hongkong, July 9, 1872.

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE.)

CAPITAL—TWO MILLIONS STERLING.

THE Underigned are prepared to grant
 Policies against the Risk of FIRE on
 Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on
 Coals in Matched, on Goods on board
 Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Har-
 bour, at the usual Terms and Conditions.
 Proposals for Life Assurance will be re-
 ceived, and transmitted to the Directors
 for their decision.
 If required, protection will be granted on
 first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single
 Life.

For Rates of Premiums, forms of pro-
 posals or any other information, apply to
ARNHOLD, KARBERS & Co.,
 Agents Hongkong & Canton.
 Hongkong, January 4, 1867.

THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

HEAD OFFICE—HONGKONG.

AGENCIES at all the Treaty Ports of
 China and Japan, and at Singapore,
 Saigon and Penang.

Risks accepted, and Policies of Insurance
 granted at the rates of Premium current at
 the above mentioned Ports.

NO CHARGE FOR POLICY FEES.

JAS. B. COUGHTRE,

Secretary.
 Hongkong, November 1, 1871.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON.

THE Underigned have been appointed
 Agents for the above Company at
 Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Shanghai
 and Hankow, and are prepared to grant
 Insurances at current rates.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, October 14, 1868.

THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

INCORPORATED BY ROYAL CHARTER

of

His Majesty King George The First,

A. D. 1720.

THE Underigned having been appointed
 Agents for the above Corporation are
 prepared to grant Insurances as follows:-
Marine Department.
 Policies at current rates payable either
 here, in London, or at the principal Ports
 of India, China and Australia.

Fire Department.
 Policies issued for long or short periods at
 current rates. A discount of 20% allowed.

Life Department.
 Policies issued for sums not exceeding
 £5,000 on reasonable terms.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Hongkong, July 25, 1872.

CHINESE INSURANCE COMPANY.

(LIMITED.)

NOTICE.

POLICIES granted at current rates on
 Marine Risks to all parts of the World.
 In accordance with the Company's Articles
 of Association, Two Thirds of the Profits
 are distributed annually to Contributors,
 whether Shareholders or not, in proportion
 to the net amount of Premiums contributed
 by each, the remaining third being carried
 to Reserve Fund.

OLYMPHANT & Co.,

General Agents.
 Hongkong, April 17, 1873.

YANGTSE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAI.

NOTICE.

AFTER this date, the above Association
 will allow a Brokerage of Thirty-
 three and One Third-per cent. (33 1/3%) of
 Local Risks only.

RUSSELL & Co.,

Agents.
 Hongkong, June 5, 1874.

MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned Agents are in receipt
 of instructions from the Board of
 Directors authorizing them to issue Policies
 to the extent of \$10,000 on any one first
 class risk, or to the extent of \$15,000 on
 adjoining risks at current rates.
 A Discount of 20% allowed.

HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.,

Agents.
 Hongkong, January 8, 1875.

Insurances.

THE SOUTH AUSTRALIAN INSURANCE COMPANY, ADELAIDE.
 CAPITAL, £500,000.

THE Underigned having been appointed
 Agents for the above Company in
 Hongkong, China and Japan, are prepared
 to issue Policies of Marine Insurance,
 payable in Australia, London, Calcutta,
 Bombay, Mauritius, China and Japan at
 current rates.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, September 6, 1875. j71

THE SCOTTISH IMPERIAL INSURANCE CO.

THE Underigned having been appointed
 Agent in Hongkong, for the above-
 named Company, is prepared to grant
 policies against Fire, on Buildings and on
 Goods to the extent of £10,000, at the
 usual rates, subject to an immediate dis-
 count of 20%.

Attention is invited to a considerable
 reduction in Premia for Life Insurance in
 China.

Life Policies effected during the year
 1875, share in the Bonus to be declared on
 31st December for the quinquennial period
 then ending.

A. MacG. HEATON.

Hongkong, September 27, 1875.

NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

Incorporated by Royal Charter and
 Special Acts of Parliament.

ESTABLISHED 1809.

CAPITAL £2,000,000.

THE Underigned, Agents at Hongkong
 for the above Company, are prepared to
 grant Policies against FIRE, to the
 extent of £10,000 on any Building, or
 on Merchandise in the same, at the
 usual Rates, subject to a discount of 20
 per cent.

GILMAN & Co.,

Agents.
 Hongkong, July 6, 1875.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Underigned, Agents for the above
 Company, are prepared to grant In-
 surances at current rates.

MILNERS & Co.,

Agents, Royal Insurance Company.

For Sale.

FOR SALE.

THE UNDERMENTIONED LAND
 AND BUILDINGS.

AT HONGKONG.

INLAND LOT 82.—The well-known House
 and Office lately occupied by Messrs A.
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The Ground below the masonry retaining
 wall of the above abutting on the Queen's
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Annual Crown Rent, \$380.48.

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No. 6 situated on the Bund, and com-
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 detached, with Garden all round, Offices,
 Godowns, Servants' Quarters, and Out-
 houses. Area 1,064 Taubos of 36 square
 feet.

Annual Ground Rent \$263.79.

No. 27 is separated from No. 6 by Water
 Street, and comprises large Tea Firing and
 other Godowns, Floss Silk Press, Com-
 pradore's Quarters, Stabling, and Fire
 Engine House. Area, 584 Taubos.

Ground Rent, \$154.97 per Annum.

AT KOBE.

The Property situated on the Bund,
 lately known as Messrs A. BEARD & Co.'s,
 consisting of Offices, Dwelling Houses,
 One Two-storied Stone Godown, Two Tea-
 firing Godowns (One Wooden), &c.
 Area about 897 Taubos.

AT SHANGHAI.

The Property situated on the Bund, and
 bounded South by the Nanking Road, and
 North by Messrs. LIVINGSTON & Co.'s Lot,
 consisting of Offices, Two Dwelling Houses,
 Six Godowns, Silk Room, Shipping Office,
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 65,687.

AT FOOSHOW.

The Property situated on the South Bank
 of the river, lately known as Messrs A.
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 House, Offices, extensive Godowns, Tea-
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 Area 48,720 square feet.

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J. WHITTALL,

T. G. LINSTED,

Trustees of A. BEARD & Co.'s Estate,
 28, Queen's Road, Hongkong.

Hongkong, May 30, 1876.

NOTICE.

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FOR SALE.

First Class Tea Ballast, at 35 cents per ton.

Second " " " " " "

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Fresh PROVISIONS, Oilman's STORES,

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 where else at this port. If any Shipmas-
 ters require my services, they will please
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AH YON,

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 Hongkong, May 2, 1876. au2

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 Pints, " " " " " "
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THE Underigned, having been appoint-
 ed Agents in Hongkong for the above
 Company, are prepared to issue Policies of
 Marine Insurance at current rates, payable
 in London, India, Australia, New Zealand,
 Straits, Mauritius, Java, Manila, China,
 Japan, California, &c., &c.

ADAMSON, BELL & Co.

Hongkong, March 24, 1876. j624

NOTES.—By the Company's Articles of Asso-
 ciation it is provided that, after pay-
 ment to the shareholders of a dividend
 of 10 per cent. per annum, one fourth
 of the residue of profits will be rateably
 divided amongst those Insurers put of
 whose business profits have been made
 during the year.

STAFFORDSHIRE FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, OF HANLEY.

SUBSCRIBED CAPITAL, £250,000.

THE Underigned, having been appoint-
 ed Agents in Hongkong and Shanghai
 for the above Company, are prepared to
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